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Overcast, cooler weather helps firefighters at Square Complex

St. George, Utah – The Square Complex Fire was 20% contained Monday night. The more than 300 firefighters working the fire were helped by overcast, light winds and cooler weather. The fire is holding at 16,000 acres. Communities, cabins and powerlines in the area are not immediately threatened.

Although the fire advanced little today, it still has potential to burn more acres if weather conditions change.

Gunlock Reservoir continues to be closed for helicopter activity. Fire officials are also asking the public to limit their travel on the Motoqua Road due to fire traffic.

The Square Complex Fires started Friday night by lightning. A Type II Incident Management Team assumes management of the fire this evening.

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